



ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 6.

THE NEW YORK *Herald* says "it would be bad politics for the democrats next year to choose for their Presidential nominee any man from New York, State, or city." In saying this, the *Herald* is wise. No New Yorker could be nominated who would not be, or at least be supposed to be, affiliated with one of the two factions of the party in that State, and who would, therefore, as proved by experience, be opposed either openly or covertly by the other. Any able democrat outside of New York, not tainted with macwumpism, would receive the earnest, hearty and enthusiastic support of every democrat in that State, and the most prominent and deserving of such men is Senator Gorman of Maryland.

IN THE next Congress there will be only one negro. In the next Virginia legislature there will be none. The republicans carried Ohio by means of the solid negro vote of that State, and the democratic majorities in the other States were reduced by means of that same vote. Indeed, save only and except for the negro vote, few of the northern States would ever go republican. But, for all that, those States never send a negro to Congress, and only in one or two instances to their legislatures. Heretofore, the negroes have always, that is since they had the privilege of suffrage conferred upon them, had representatives in the Virginia legislature, and their absence from that body next session, while not creating an abiding void, will be conspicuous.

WHEN IT was supposed in New York city early Tuesday evening that the republicans had carried the State, some of the county democracy publicly gloated over the party they had taken to effect such a result. In Cincinnati, also, even some of the managers of the democratic organization in that city, and their captains, helped to defeat Gov. Campbell. It is only natural that men should not be enthusiastic in their support of a man they dislike who may be their party's nominee, but the true democracy of a man who, calling himself a democrat, votes and works to defeat the regularly nominated candidate of the democratic party, may well be doubted.

IT APPEARS now that the efforts in charge of the Tennessee convicts who were released by a mob, had been previously advised that the release would be attempted, but that instead of resisting it they arranged to have the release effected with as little opposition as possible. Gov. Buchanan would arrest and prosecute them even before he commences operations against the leaders of the mob who made the release. It need not be forgotten that the lawlessness referred to occurred in that part of Tennessee which was disloyal to the South during the war between the States, and which ever since has been giving large republican majorities.

THE ENGLISH haters in the North attributed the Quilman revolution to English intrigue. The same people now say the revolution in Brazil is the effect of the same cause. Their hate for John Bull, not their learning, has made them mad. England, owing to her free trade, has too much business with South and Central American countries to do any thing to interfere with or to interrupt that business. Her policy is to do every thing in her power to preserve peace and to prevent war in the countries referred to, and those who say otherwise are either densely ignorant or blinded by their prejudice.

IT IS by no means surprising that the men in Brazil who hoped to profit themselves by deposing the wise and just and beneficent ex-ruler of that country, not having received what their self-importance and rapacity induced them to suppose was their full share of the swag, should now be quarrelling and fighting among themselves. What the South American people need is stronger government. Republics do not suit them. If Dom Pedro had been more of a tyrant, he would still be Emperor of Brazil—to the great benefit of all the people of that country.

AMONG the many gratifying local results of the late election was the redemption of the three counties on the opposite side of the Potomac, Prince George's, Charles and St. Mary's, in Maryland, from republican rule. They were republican by reason of their large negro population, and the democratic majorities they gave last Tuesday show that that population is thinning out. Their return to the democratic fold is welcomed, not only by the democrats of their own State, but by those on this side of the river.

THE FACT that the New York *Herald*, an ardent admirer, and, until Tuesday's election, a supporter of the renomination of Mr. Cleveland, now says the democrats had better look outside of New York for their nominee for the next Presidency, is, as a famous old Virginian was wont to say, "omalous of a bad sign" for the ex-President, as the *Herald* always tries to be on the winning side, and has the means of finding out which side that will be.

The Drought in Indiana.  
COLUMBUS, Ind., Nov. 6.—There is no more prospect of rain than there was two months ago and everybody views the situation with alarm. Wells, streams and ponds are completely dry in entire sections and since the fifties nothing like this has been known. In many inland towns water is being sold.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]  
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Among the Alexandrians at the race-day before yesterday was one who when a tip seller came around said to him, "Your tips are worth nothing; you don't know what horses will win any more than I do, and to test your knowledge I'll bet you five dollars you can't name one winning horse out of the whole lot." As he said this in the presence of others, the tip seller could do nothing else than take the bet. He named a horse, and it didn't win, and the Alexandrian was five dollars ahead.

The Brazilian minister here said this morning he does not think there will be war in his country, and is convinced that the report to the effect that the monarchists in Europe are behind the revolutionists is unfounded. He says the navy is with the President, and that the latter will serve during the two remaining years of his term.

The old Eads mill property in Georgetown is being repaired and transformed into a power house for the Washington and Arlington electric railroad.

Mr. Frank Hume, one of the supervisors of Alexandria county, says the roads in that county are better now than they have been for years, and that, too, though not a cent of the new tax assessment for the improvement of roads has yet been expended upon them.

No notice has yet reached the Department of State respecting the cause of the refusal of the Spanish government to grant an exequatur to the U. S. consul at Ponce, Carolina Islands.

The following is the only charge that was made in the 4th class postoffice of Virginia to-day: Ararat, Patrick county, J. W. Gages appointed postmaster, vice F. M. Gages, resigned.

A prominent Virginia politician, here to-day, says a letter has been received in this city from Mr. Robert Beverly, of Fauquier county, in his State, dated on the 26th ult., to the effect that the Farmers' Alliance of that district had determined to act independently at the coming congressional election in that district, as they think a farmer knows more about the needs of farmers and can better attend to farmers' business than lawyers. A letter received here from Mr. White, Commonwealth's Attorney for Stafford county, is to the effect that Mr. Meredith will receive the vote of that county in the congressional convention. Mr. O. G. Lee of Fairfax county, in the same district, says he thinks Captain Janney, of Loudoun county, will get the votes of some of the Fairfax delegates. From Loudoun county it is learned that a primary election may possibly be held there by which to determine which of the Loudoun men, Ryan, Janney, Foster, Fairfax or McCabe shall be presented to the convention. It is said that Mr. Scott will get the solid vote of Orange county. Mr. Winston, of Louisa, is also spoken of as well qualified for a seat in Congress.

The Marshal of the District of Columbia met Secretary Noble at the White House this morning and served legal process on him to appear at court and answer to the suit against him as Secretary of the Interior, by the Union River Logging Company. The Secretary acknowledged service and said he would respond.

A New York democrat here to-day says the result of the recent election in his State must necessarily increase the power and influence of the Tammany democracy, and that as the leaders of that organization are opposed to Mr. Cleveland, he cannot possibly have a solid delegation from his own State in the next national democratic convention.

The Mayor of Savannah, Ga., with a committee of aldermen and residents of the city called at the White House this afternoon and invited the President and Cabinet to visit Savannah during the winter as the guests of the municipality and citizens.

## POLITICAL.

The total returns from Pennsylvania show a republican majority of 58,899.

The people's party ticket was defeated in seventy-five counties of Kansas.

The republicans have a project on hand to deprive Senator-elect Brice, of Ohio, of his seat.

The total vote of South Dakota will be less than 40,000, and the republican majority 8,000.

In a speech in Albany last night Gov. Hill said: "I believe that we have fairly carried both branches of the Legislature."

The Pennsylvania State Senate has resumed its inquiry into the conduct of the auditor general and State treasurer.

The latest figures from Ohio give Major McKinley 20,486 plurality for Governor. The republicans claim from 48 to 50 majority in the Legislature.

Maj. Wm. McKinley, Governor elect of Ohio, deprecates the continued agitation of the tariff issue, as it disturbs business and retards enterprises which the new law designs to encourage.

Complete returns make the next Massachusetts Legislature stand as follows: Senate—republicans, 23; democrats, 17. House—republicans, 150; democrats, 89; prohibitionists, 1. Governor Russell's plurality is nearly 7,000.

Colonel A. L. Oonger, the Ohio member of the republican national committee, in an interview yesterday stated that reciprocity was to have been the policy developed in President Garfield's administration and that Mr. Blaine was its author.

Governor Boies' plurality in Iowa will be over 8,000, and the rest of the democratic ticket about 3,000. The republicans will have a majority in the lower house of the Legislature, while the democrats will control the Senate by a majority of 1.

J. Slost Fasser, the republican candidate for Governor of New York, was asked if Warner Miller killed him. He replied: "Yes, we both did it—but I, we believe his friends did. Still, I have received a good vote in many of his districts."

Mr. Flower's plurality for Governor of New York, it is now said, will reach 47,608. The New York *Sun* says: "The Senate stands 16 to 16, with the deciding vote in the hands of Speaker Sheehan, while in the House the democrats have 65 to the republicans 63."

Richard Croker, leader of Tammany, when asked yesterday if he thought the result of the election would secure a New York nominee for President, said: "I am not prepared to talk about that." "Do you think it will be Cleveland?" "I cannot say. But one thing I am confident of, and that is the next President will be a democrat."

Mr. Jeremiah Simpson, of Kansas, lectured in New Orleans last night in the interest of the people's party movement. He said he was surprised at the defeat of Governor Campbell and disappointed at the small vote for the people's party candidates in Ohio. In Kansas, he said, the fusion of the democrats and republicans injured the alliance party.

Senator Quay and ex-Senator Mahone have gone to Florida on a fishing trip.

Pain in the back or limbs, is at once driven off by a few applications of Salvation Oil. 25 cents.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

The orthodox Friends begin their yearly meeting to-day in Baltimore.

The bank of Caledonia, at Caledonia, Minn., was entered by robbers Wednesday night and the large burglar proof safe blown open and \$6,000 stolen.

One of Dr. Kelsey's gold-cure patients—a man whose complete reformation was heralded in all the newspapers a few months ago—died at the workhouse in New York yesterday of alcoholism.

Jahann, the Archduke of Austria, a nephew of the Emperor, who gave up his place in the army a year and a half ago and started on a sea voyage with his morganatic wife, it is said has been found in Chili.

Seven of the ten men accused of "white-capping" Rev. Arthur Cushing Dill, formerly pastor of the Mission Presbyterian Church in Sirling, N. J., have been convicted of riot and assault in the Morris County Court of Quarter Sessions.

Mail advices received from Santa Ana, San Salvador, give full accounts of the fall of Gen. Amaya, late Minister of War, who, together with Gen. Lizaola, commander of the Salvadoran forces at San Salvador, tried to start a revolution against President Ezara.

The Methodist Episcopal Bishops met at Cincinnati yesterday and made assignments of presiding bishop to conferences for the next six months. Bishop Foster was assigned to the Baltimore Conference. Bishop Hurst will preside at the conference to be held in Lynchburg, Va., on April 9, and Bishop Walden, of Falls Church, Va., March 2.

El Senor Don Julio Campo-Serrano, brigadier general in the regular army of the United States of Colombia, and nephew of ex Vice-President Jose M. Camp-Serrano, of Santa Martha, Colombia yesterday confessed that he robbed the dead body of Mrs. Charles H. Trautman, in whose house he boarded in New York, of a large sum of money, jewelry and railway bonds.

One thousand miners have returned to work in the Coal Creek mines, Tennessee. The recent trouble was at Briceville and Oliver Springs, where convicts were worked, but the Coal Creek men left work, and it was feared would remain out. This is encouraging news to East Tennessee, as a coal famine was feared. William Giles, a leader among the Oliver Springs miners, was fatally stabbed by unknown persons at the post office at Oliver. 127 of the convicts released by the miners have been captured.

Presiding Elder Rev. G. C. Baker has suspended Rev. S. F. Butts from the Methodist Church in Cumberland, Md. The reasons assigned are that Mr. Butts had not complied with certain provisions of the discipline governing ministers who go to the M. E. Church from other churches. It is alleged by other ministers that Mr. Butts has stood in with hack drivers and had cornered the marriage market. He has performed nearly one-half of the weddings of out-of-town people, who came there on account of the tax laws, and the other ministers have suffered.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

The Spanish government refuses to recognize the United States consul in the Caroline Islands.

The snow is ten feet deep in some parts of Bulgaria, and people and cattle have perished in the drifts.

A railroad train carrying British troops was wrecked near Nagpur, in India, yesterday, and five soldiers were killed and thirty-one injured.

An unknown British steamer laden with oil was burned off the coast of Greece yesterday, and the captain's wife and a number of the crew perished. Six persons were saved.

English officers of H. M. S. Champion, just arrived at Victoria, B. C., say that Chilians charge the officers of the United States cruiser Baltimore with acting as spies on the Congressionalists.

By the failure of the Berlin banking firm of Hirschfeld & Wolff, the Empress of Germany, Prince Henry of Prussia and Dr. von Goerz, German minister of public worship, are liable to lose large amounts of money. Herr Wolff, of the firm, has been arrested on a charge growing out of the failure.

President da Fonseca, of Brazil, has ordered the election of a new congress, and the capital, Rio Janeiro, and a neighboring city have been declared in a state of siege. The army and navy support the president, who has virtually constituted himself the government. Fonseca is suffering from a cancer and his health has led to political intrigues as to the choice of his successor.

A new half-dollar, quarter and dime will make their appearance before the people of the United States with the new year, and instead of the present ugly modeled fractional silver coins, rustic new coins can be jingled as small change. The engraving department of the mint at Philadelphia is doing its utmost to have the dies with the new designs ready for use at the beginning of 1892.

## A Young Wife's Confession.

On Saturday morning last the barn of Elchard Foote, in Peacotown, a settlement in the town of Windsor, New York, was destroyed by fire. On Sunday last the charred remains of Foote were found in the ruins by neighbors. Foote was an old man, and his wife a young woman. Certain sections of Mrs. Foote after the fire and about a week later her intimate relation with John Furman, a resident of the neighborhood, aroused the suspicions of the neighbors. An investigation was instituted by Coroner Smith of Windsor, and yesterday Mrs. Foote confessed that her husband left the house about nine o'clock Friday morning, and went toward the barn. About twenty minutes later Furman came into the house with blood on his hands and clothes, and told her that he had killed Foote with a club. She went to the barn with Furman and saw Foote lying dead. Furman procured some kerosene and after saturating his body with it, set the barn on fire. Furman and Mrs. Foote are under arrest.

DEATH CAUSED BY A LIZARD'S BITE.—Jacob Kinsey, an aged resident of Lower Salford township, Pa., died at his home Wednesday night after undergoing a terrible spell of suffering, due to blood poisoning resulting from a slight wound in his hand, supposed to have been caused by the bite of a lizard. Mr. Kinsey was cleaning away brush and leaves near his house several weeks ago, when he suddenly felt a sharp pain in his hand, to which he paid no attention at the time. Swelling set in and the wound grew so painful that it was almost unendurable, and finally resulted in his death. He was over seventy-seven years of age.

ARM TORN OFF.—A frightful accident occurred Monday afternoon in the plating mill of the Powellsville Manufacturing Company, at Powellsville, Md. James Cooper, an employee, while in the act of adjusting a cog to one of the pulleys, got his hand caught between the belt and pulley. The force of the pulley tore his right arm off up to the elbow and otherwise terribly injured him. He is in a precarious condition.

The Governor of Missouri has become jealous of the attention given to outlaws; but he still continues to recommend the famous Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for coughs and colds.

The proprietors of Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain, will pay a large reward if any certificate published by them is found not genuine. It costs only 25 cents a bottle.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The large dry goods firm of Wales Brothers, of Galveston, Tex., made an assignment yesterday, liabilities \$450,000.

The indications are there will be five thousand carloads of oranges to haul out of California during the coming season.

Mrs. Julia Taylor aged 75 years, the widow of the late Wm. Taylor, committed suicide at her residence in Brooklyn early this morning by hanging herself to the bed post.

A house at Lyon Mountain, Clinton county, N. Y., occupied by a widow named Risaire, was yesterday destroyed by fire. Mrs. Risaire's three-year old child perished in the flames.

As a result of the democratic victory in Iowa, and the hope that the prohibition law will be soon repealed, a company will soon begin the construction of a large brewery at Sioux City.

Glen Gardner's Law and Order Society, of Washington, N. J., on Tuesday night last treated an alleged disorderly woman to a coat of tar and feathers, and then warned her to be more careful of her conduct in the future. She has made complaint of her treatment to the authorities, and it is probable that the arrest and punishment of those implicated in the affair will follow. The matter has created great excitement all through that section of the State.

While hunting near Birmingham, Conn., yesterday Samuel French discovered a cow stuck in the mud, having been in that position three weeks, living on leaves that floated down the stream. Two yokes of oxen were necessary to drag her out.

The dairy work mill at Lockport, Ill., closed last night. The fifty employees were locked out because they refused to leave the union.

Official returns from 63 counties in Nebraska, out of 90 counties in the State, show a plurality for Post of about 5,500.

The affairs of the Mavorick Bank, of Boston, are being straightened out as fast as possible under the circumstances.

Senator Hancock, of New York, denies that he has been tendered the portfolio of Secretary of War.

The run on the Five Cent Savings Bank, in Boston, is about over.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

The President has recognized Robert Gordon Hazcock as British vice-consul at Richmond.

Mrs. R. O'Fallen Randolph, aged 32 years, died at her residence in Linwood, Clarke county, on Tuesday, October 27.

The Virginia Conference, M. E. Church South, convenes at Petersburg next Wednesday. Bishop Keene will preside.

The celebrated Lurey Inn at Lurey was destroyed by fire last night. Flames were discovered in the kitchen department about 10 o'clock, and in an hour the building was a total mass of ruins. The loss on the building and furniture is about \$130,000. The insurance is about \$100,000.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis yesterday expressed her earnest desire to make Richmond her future home, and said that it was no longer a question of anything but means. If she can make satisfactory financial arrangements she will soon be back again to Richmond to spend the rest of her days. Mrs. Davis has an annual income of \$3,000.

The meeting of the Southern Sargol and Gynecological Association, to be held in Richmond next week, will be the most interesting and important since its foundation. A large number of papers will be read. Among those who will read papers will be Dr. Emmett Polk, Patter and Morris, of New York; Price, of Philadelphia; Tiffany, Ople and Michael, of Baltimore; Stone and Taber Johnson, of Washington; Hunter McGuire, Bedford Browder and Barringer, of Virginia; Reed and Ricketts, of Cincinnati; Engelman, of St. Louis; Gaston, of Georgia; Kollock, of South Carolina, and Westmoreland, of Atlanta.

Court of Appeals in Richmond Yesterday. Sailer's executor against Reed and others. From the Circuit Court of Rockingham county. Reversed, Judge Lewis delivering the opinion.

Oberdierfer and others against Meyer, Reinhardt & Co. and others. From the Hustings Court of 8 counties. Reversed, Judge Lewis delivering the opinion.

Lyles against Commonwealth; Lashley against Commonwealth; Commonwealth against Larkins. Submitted.

Gaines against Commonwealth; Berkeley against Commonwealth; Miller against Commonwealth; Commonwealth against Ballentine; Commonwealth against Roper; Commonwealth against Dodson. Continued.

Marks against Commonwealth. Dismissed.

Henley against Atkinson, trustee. Dismissed for failure to print.

Richmond and Danville Railroad Company against Neill & Starling, and Western Union Telegraph Company against Odell. Dismissed agreed.

## DIED.

In Washington, on Wednesday, November 4, 1891, at 5:40 o'clock a. m., ELIZABETH D. C. EBBON, aged 45 years.

## LEMON ELIXIR.

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Dr. Mosely's Lemon Elixir will not fail you in any of the above named diseases, all of which arise from a torpid or diseased liver, stomach, kidneys or bowels.

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## MILK STERILIZERS.

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## MALTED MILK.

HOBLOCKS MALTED MILK for infants, invalids, the aged and travellers, price 60 cts. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, 121 Cor. Prince and Fairfax sts.

JUST RECEIVED. ENAMELED KETTLES, ASSORTED SIZES, Low Prices, At 328 King street, corner Royal. J. T. DRIGHTON & SON.

HEINZ'S CATSUP AND PICKLES, new goods, received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.



## ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

## Foreign News.

MADRID, Nov. 6.—A shocking accident has occurred on the Minco and Douro railway. Two passenger trains came into collision with terrific force at Farnalica and a number of the carriages were shattered. The exact loss of life is not yet known but many persons were killed and a number injured.

PARIS, Nov. 6.—A dispatch from Rio Janeiro states that the elections for members of the Chamber of Representatives are expected to take place in January. The Congress will revise the constitution, and will retain its republican and federal character.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—A boat belonging to the collier Kathleen has been washed ashore at Caen Sea, Essex. It is feared that the collier has foundered and that her crew of seven men have perished.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The Times to-day publishes a dispatch from Santiago de Chile, which says that Admiral Jorg Montt has accepted the nomination for the presidency, subject to his not being expected to follow any political programme, but accepting only the acts and votes of Congress as the expression of the national will. Admiral Montt was unwilling to take the post offered to him and only accepted it on the distinct understanding that it was not offered him as a reward for his services, but as asking him to make another sacrifice to the wish expressed at the elections. In conclusion Admiral Montt said that he would assume power to insure the peace of the nation and to prevent a conflict between political parties. A dispatch from Valparaiso to-day says that Admiral Jorge Montt has been unanimously elected President of the republic of Chile.

MADRID, Nov. 6.—Advices from Chelana, twelve miles from Cadiz, say that a terrible hurricane has been sweeping over the place. The Segura has overflowed and is inundating the town. The streets are impassable and the new bridge has been destroyed. Large numbers of cattle in the surrounding districts have been drowned.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—Further advices received from the Island of Negropont, in the Aegean Sea, state that the unknown British oil-aid steamer reported to have been burned near there is believed to have been from Batoum. Several bodies have been recovered and the total number who perished by the disaster is now placed at twenty. The victims include the captain, his wife, and two children.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The *St. James Gazette* says to-day that the liberals are greatly exercised over the question of the succession to the party leadership on the retirement of Mr. Gladstone. It is not considered probable that Sir William Vernon Harcourt will succeed Mr. Gladstone, as his eyesight has long been defective and the condition of his eyes is now critical.

MADRID, Nov. 6.—Admiral de Beranger, the minister of marine, recently challenged the editor of a newspaper of this city to fight a duel. The duel was fought to-day. Four pistol shots were exchanged but neither of the combatants was wounded. The seconds then interferred, declared the honor of both principals satisfied and refused to allow any further hostilities. Admiral de Beranger is one of the leading figures in Spanish politics and has been prominently connected with the Spanish navy for many years. His wife was one of the favorite dames of honor of Queen Isabella. Immediately after the duel to-day, it was announced that Admiral de Beranger had resigned his portfolio as minister of marine.

Brazil has a Dictator.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—A dispatch from Rio Janeiro, Brazil, to the *Herald* dated Nov. 5, 1891, says: President Dondoro da Fonseca has been proclaimed Dictator. The troops are now guarding all the streets and public buildings. In Rio Grande do Sul the news has caused a most unfavorable impression. It is officially announced that the President has convened the nation to elect new representatives at a date to be determined upon later. The Governors of the leading provinces have congratulated President Fonseca upon his success in maintaining order. The federal capital, Rio Janeiro, and the town of Niteroy, five miles east of the capital, have been declared to be in a state of siege for two months. The President has been provoked to take these steps by the proceedings of Congress and by the efforts of the promoters of a restoration to overturn republican institutions. Fonseca, in a manifesto issued to the nation, declares himself to have been fully justified in taking the steps referred to. The army and navy support the government, and public tranquillity is perfect throughout the States. Fonseca, in his manifesto, says that he will govern in accordance with the constitution. The National Guard has been mobilized in the province of Rio Grande. The troops are in their quarters. An outbreak is feared, owing to the trifling of the opposition. Fonseca ordered the troops under arms throughout Rio on November 4, and this led to intense excitement among the populace. Bands of opponents of the government, including old republicans and monarchists, assembled and shouted out their disapproval. Between them and the soldiery many fights took place. Riots broke out in the streets all over the city. The troops were then given orders to fire upon the rioters, which they did. Many of the rebels were killed. Fonseca says the dictatorship is to last until the political revolutions are at an end and lawmakers learn to keep in progress with republican ideas.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—Advices received by the Times to-day from Rio Grande do Sul declare that the army and navy compelled President da Fonseca to assume the dictatorship and that there is considerable agitation in the province of Rio Grande do Sul, where the late events at Rio Janeiro are considered to be but a prelude to the restoration of the empire. The dispatch continues: "The latter is not yet certain, but

personal observation in 1890 induced the suspicion that the change to a republic was only a cloak to cover the ambition of certain demagogues and not the desire of the nation. Public robbery and the lowering of the rate of exchange, which have occurred since, have engendered universal discontent and was the precursor of the present cataclysm. North Brazil is decidedly in favor of an empire, and only in central Brazil is the republic popular. This may lead to Dom Pedro's grandson becoming chief of the State under a regency of three prominent citizens, representing the northern and southern central provinces and insuring the unity of Brazil.

BRO JANEIRO, Nov. 6.—The situation of affairs here to-day is reassuring. The troops which have been guarding the telegraph offices have been withdrawn. Complete order prevails and the normal amount of business is being transacted. The government has ceased to interfere with any telegrams and the general impression is that a revolution is not likely to occur. The prosperity of the country is entirely unimpaired by the recent occurrences.

## The Irish Election.

CORK, Nov. 6.—The streets early this morning were alive with men, women and children, who had determined to see as much as possible of the great battle to be decided at the polls to-night. The present election is for a successor in Parliament to the late Charles Stewart Parnell, who represented Cork in the House of Commons. The Parnellite candidate is Mr. John F. Redmond, the successor of Mr. Parnell in the leadership of that wing of the Irish party. The McCarthyite candidate is Mr. Martin Flavin, a better merchant of this city. The priests have made a house-to-house canvass of the voters, and threaten the electors with all sorts of horrible things if they vote for Mr. Redmond. In order to avert possible disorder the polls this morning were strongly guarded by squads of police.

## Pugilist.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 6.—A letter has been received here saying that Slavin and Mitchell are not coming to America and asking the Olympic Club to match Corbett and Mather for the World's Grass season. Both men have been notified of the offer of \$8,000 and Corbett telegraphs that he will accept.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 6.—The Occidental Club has matched Alexander Greggains and George LaBianche to fight on December 12 for a purse of \$2,000.

## A Unique Remedy.

SHREVEVILLE, La., Nov. 6.—A remedy for consumption is being tested in this city. A young lady who for some time has been suffering from pulmonary affection has begun, under the direction of her medical adviser, a systematic dieting, consisting entirely of dog meat. A fat, healthy Newfoundland pup was purchased and will be served regularly at her meals.

## DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop,  
10th, 11th, and F Streets, n. w.